Polymorphism

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If an object is a type

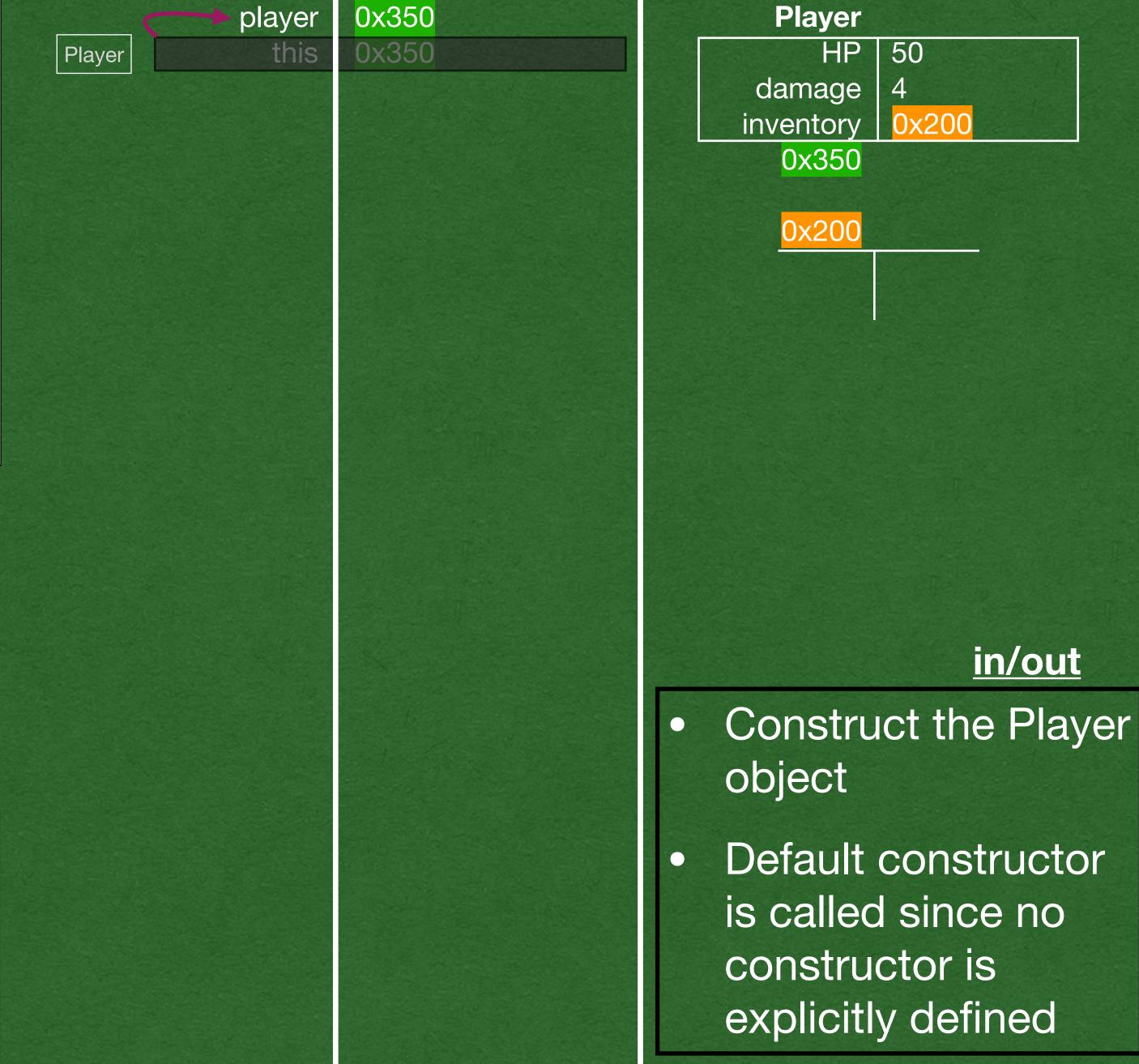
It can be stored in variables of that type

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public interface Usable {
    void use(Player player);
public abstract class GameItem {
    private double loc;
    public GameItem(double loc) {this.loc = loc;}
public class Weapon extends GameItem implements Usable {
    private int damage;
    public Weapon(double loc, int damage) {
        super(loc);
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    public int getDamage() {return damage;}
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public static void main(String[] args) {
    Player player = new Player();
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    player.pickUp(weapon);
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```

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public class Player {
   private int HP = 50;
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   private ArrayList<Usable> inventory=new ArrayList<>>();
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   }
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      }
   }
   public int getHP() {return HP;}
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Memory Diagram

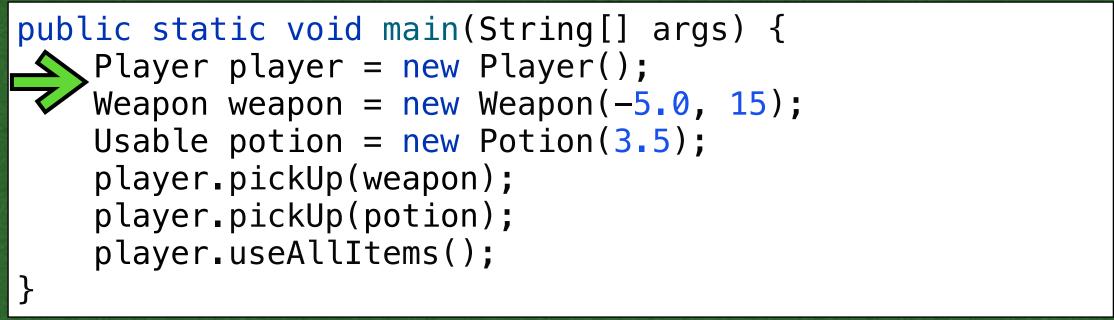
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Stack

Value

Name



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```
Stack
                                         Heap
      Name
                      Value
                0x350
                                        Player
          player
                0x350
                                              50
            this
Player
                                       damage
                                      inventory
                                        0x350
                                        0x200
                                      Player creates
                                      a new ArrayList
```

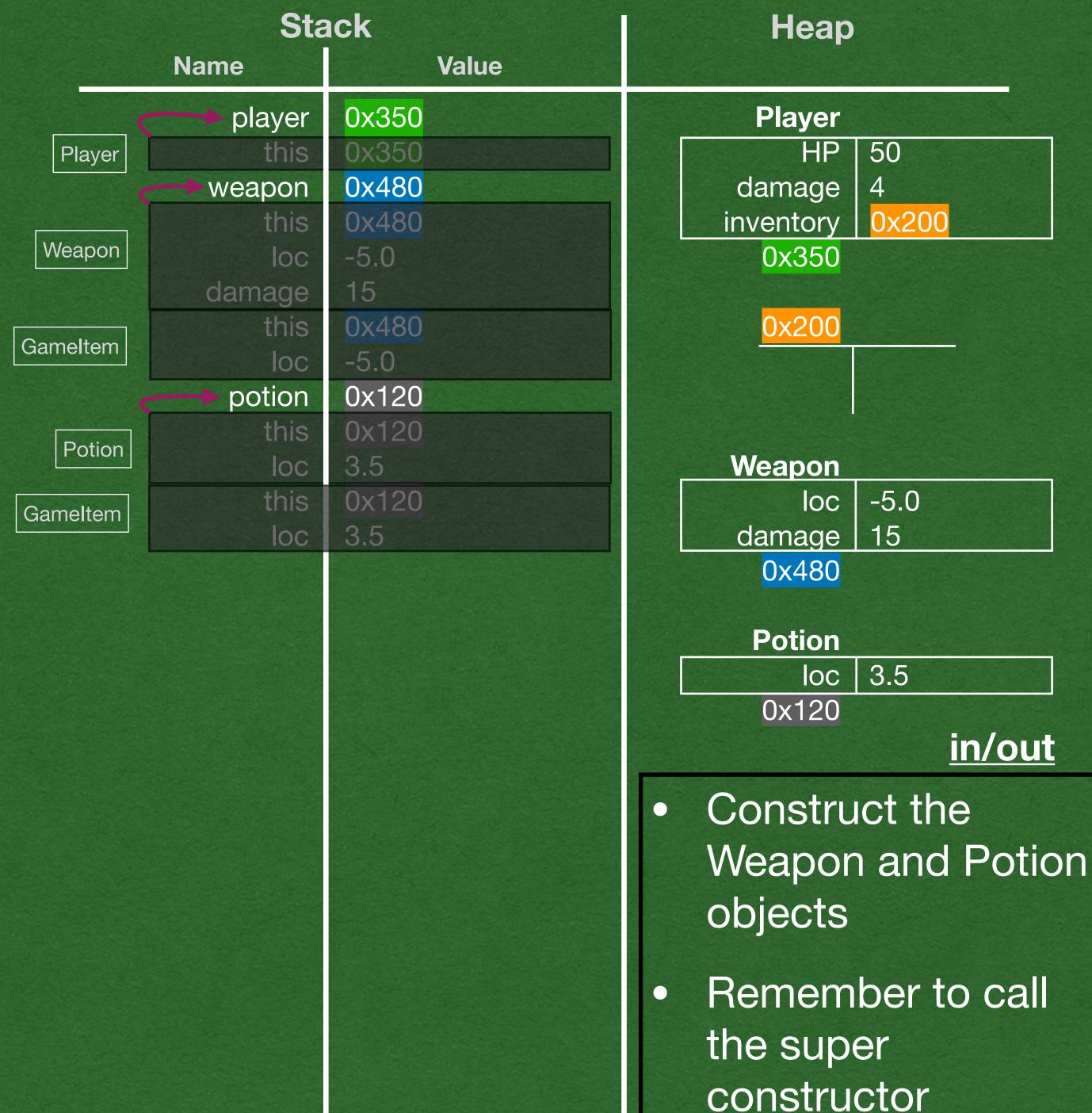
in/out

while initializing

variables

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Player

damage

inventory |

0x350

0x200

Weapon

damage

0x480

Potion

0x120

loc

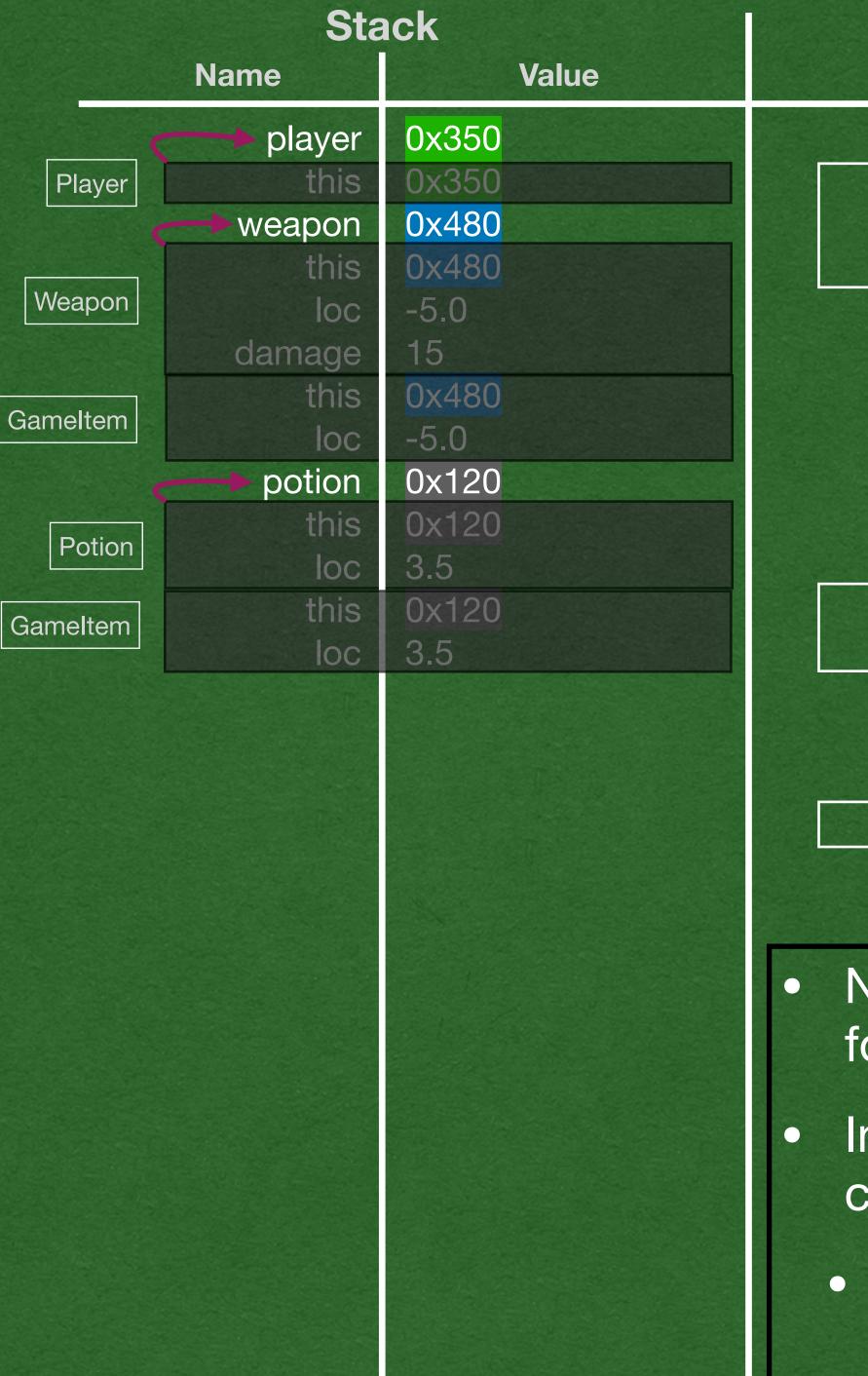
loc | 3.5

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-5.0

in/out

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Player

HP 50
damage 4
inventory 0x200

0x350

Heap

Weapon

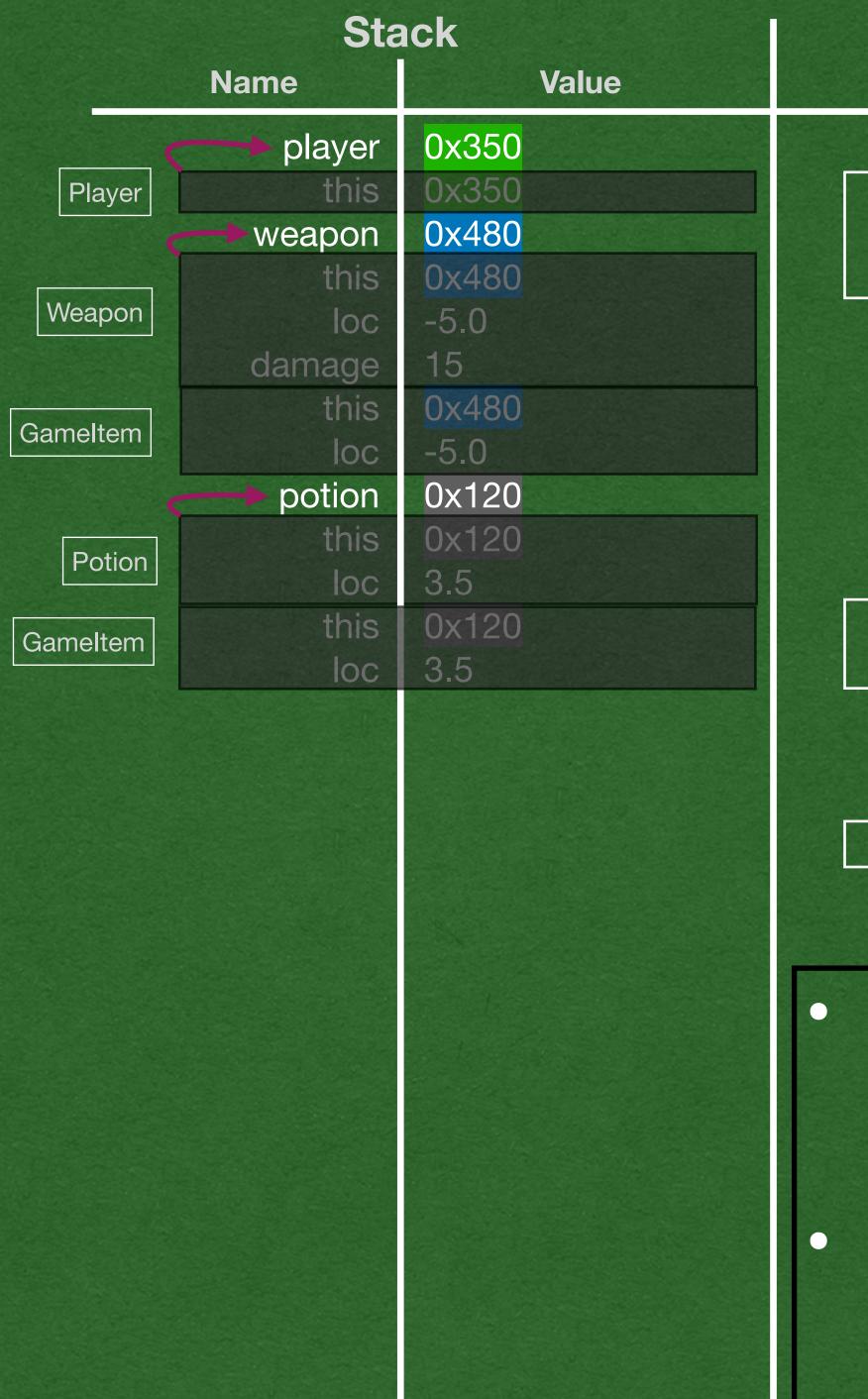
loc

damage | 15 0x480 Potion loc | 3.5 0x120 in/out

-5.0

- Nothing on the stack for the interface
- Interfaces do not have constructors
 - Not even the default constructor

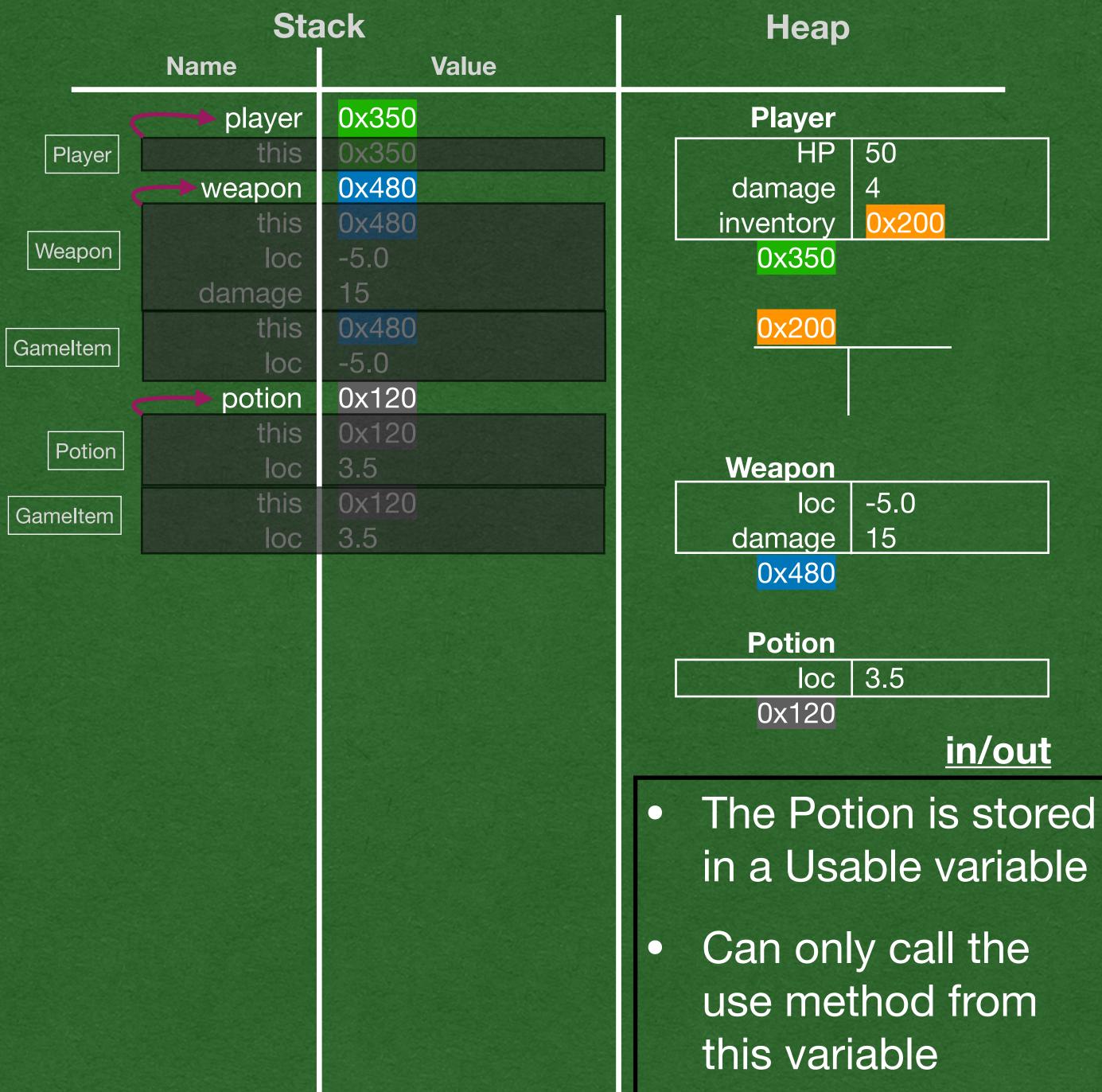
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- The Weapon is stored in a Weapon variable
- Can call every method known to the Weapon class

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Player

damage

0x350

0x200

Weapon

damage

0x480

Potion

0x120

loc

loc | 3.5

inventory

50

-5.0

in a Usable variable

Can only call the

use method from

in/out

```
public class Player {
  private int HP = 50;
  private int damage = 4;
  private ArrayList<Usable> inventory=new ArrayList<>();
  public void pickUp(Usable item) {
   this.inventory.add(item);
  public void useAllItems() {
    for (Usable item : this.inventory) {
      item.use(this);
  public int getHP() {return HP;}
  public void setHP(int HP) {this.HP = HP;}
  public void setDamage(int damage) {
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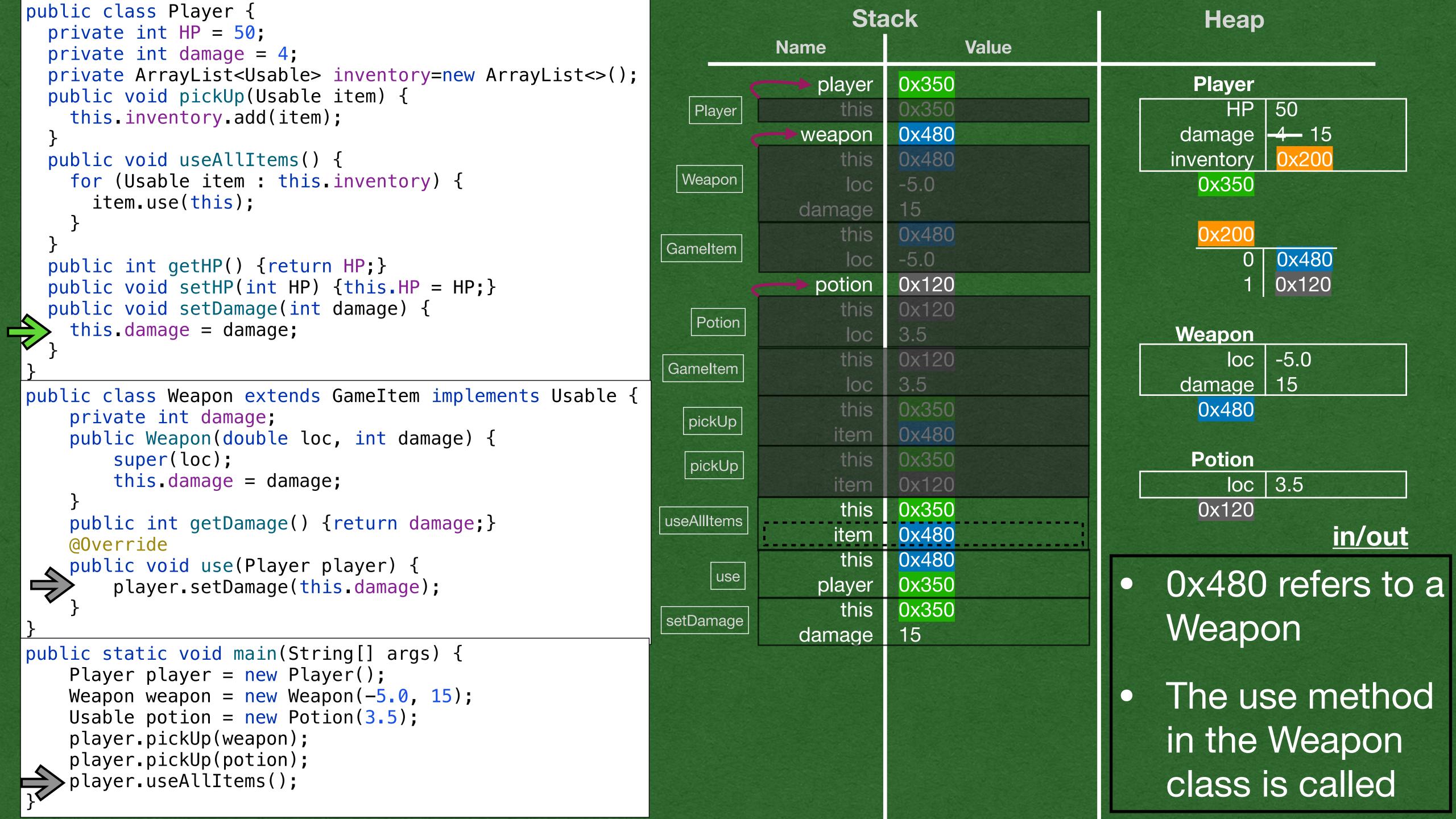
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Heap Player 50 damage inventory | 0x350 0x200 0x480 0x120 Weapon -5.0 loc 15 damage 0x480 Potion loc | 3.5 0x120 in/out

- pickUp takes a Usable
- Weapon and Potion both implement Usable so they can be picked up

```
public class Player {
                                                                             Stack
                                                                                                              Heap
  private int HP = 50;
                                                                                        Value
                                                                      Name
  private int damage = 4;
  private ArrayList<Usable> inventory=new ArrayList<>();
                                                                                 0x350
                                                                                                             Player
                                                                          player
  public void pickUp(Usable item) {
                                                                                  0x350
                                                                                                                     50
                                                                            this
                                                              Player
    this.inventory.add(item);
                                                                                  0x480
                                                                        weapon
                                                                                                            damage
                                                                                  0x480
                                                                                                           inventory
  public void useAllItems() {
                                                                            this
                                                             Weapon
    for (Usable item : this.inventory) {
                                                                                  -5.0
                                                                                                              0x350
                                                                             loc
      item.use(this);
                                                                                  15
                                                                        damage
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                                                                                  0x480
                                                                            this
                                                            Gameltem
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  public int getHP() {return HP;}
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                                                                          potion
  public void setHP(int HP) {this.HP = HP;}
  public void setDamage(int damage) {
                                                                                 0x120
                                                                            this
                                                               Potion
    this.damage = damage;
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public interface Usable {
                                                              pickUp
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    void use(Player player);
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                                                                                                          through all Usables
public static void main(String[] args) {
    Player player = new Player();
                                                                                                          Can only call use
    Weapon weapon = new Weapon(-5.0, 15);
                                                                                                          from the item
    Usable potion = new Potion(3.5);
    player.pickUp(weapon);
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                                                                             this
                                                              Player
    this.inventory.add(item);
                                                                                  0x480
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                                                                         weapon
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                                                                                                            inventory
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  public void useAllItems() {
                                                             Weapon
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    for (Usable item : this.inventory) {
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      item.use(this);
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    public void use(Player player) {
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        player.setHP(player.getHP() + 20);
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                                                                use
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                                                                             this
    player.pickUp(weapon);
                                                               setHP
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                                                                                                           class is called
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                                                                  Player
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